PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Heart of Iowa Regional Transit Agency (HIRTA) will be holding a public hearing on **April 24, 2014 at 8:30 a.m.** at 2840 104th Street, Urbandale, Iowa. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss an application from HIRTA to the Iowa Department of Transportation for financial assistance for fiscal year 2015 as follows:

State Transit Assistance (STA)	\$ 455,741
Federal Transit Assistance (FTA Non-Urbanized)	\$ 964,756
5 Light Duty ADA accessible buses with lifts (FTA)	\$ 443,700
5 Minivans ADA accessible with ramps (FTA)	\$ 214,625
Rural Mobility Coordinator (JARC)	\$ 35,958

If approved for funding, capital purchases listed above will be matched at 15% with local funds, \$98,749.

These projects will not have a significant detrimental environmental effect on the area and no persons or businesses will be displaced by these activities. The projects are in conformance with the Transportation Plan prepared by the Central Iowa Regional Transportation Planning Alliance.

Meetings are open to all individuals regardless of disability. Any person requiring reasonable accommodation to participate should contact HIRTA 515-309-9283 at least 2 business days prior to the hearing.

Written comments will be accepted at the address above, through the date and time of the hearing specified. For more information, please email info@ridehirta.com or call 515-309-9281.